

**ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
REGION I - BOSTON**

**CLASS. NO. 1200
DELEGATION NO. 7-6-B**

DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY

DATE: 5/21/2009

CLEAN AIR ACT

7-6-B. Administrative Enforcement Actions: Agency
Representation in Hearings and Negotiations of
Consent Agreements

1. PURPOSE AND LEGAL AUTHORITY.

A. Purpose. To redelegate the authorities contained in Delegation 7-6-B issued by EPA Headquarters on May 11, 1994.

B. Authority. To:

(1) represent the EPA in administrative proceedings conducted under the Clean Air Act (CAA);

(2) negotiate consent agreements between the Agency and respondents resulting from such enforcement actions; and

(3) represent the Agency in appeals.

2. TO WHOM DELEGATED.

A. This authority is delegated to the Director, Office of Environmental Stewardship (OES).

B. The authority to perform the functions in 1.B.(1) and 1.B.(3) are further redelegated by the Director, OES, to Agency attorneys as designated by the Manager, Regulatory Legal Unit, OES.

C. The authority to perform the function in 1.B.(2) is further redelegated by the Director, OES, to Agency attorneys as designated by the Manager, Regulatory Legal Unit, OES, or appropriate OES technical program staff as designated by the Manager, Regulatory Legal Unit, OES, in consultation with the Manager, Air Technical Unit, the Manager, Toxics and Pesticides Unit, or the Manager, RCRA, EPCRA, Federal Programs Unit, OES.

3. REDELEGATION AUTHORITY. This authority may not be redelegated.

4. LIMITATIONS.

A. This authority may only be exercised after the alleged violator either files an answer or fails to file an answer in the specified time period.

B. The Agency attorneys shall consult with the Regional Counsel, or his/her designee, on significant counseling issues.

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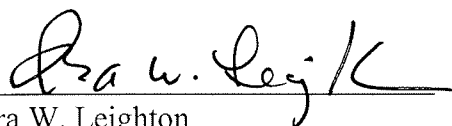
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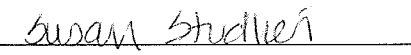
5. ADDITIONAL REFERENCES.

A. Sections 113(d) and 205(c) of the CAA.

B. See Delegation 7-6-A, "Administrative Enforcement Actions: Issuance of Complaints and Orders, and Signing of Consent Agreements, etc.

6. SUPERSESSON. Region 1 Delegation of Authority 7-6-B, dated November 6, 2000.


Ira W. Leighton
Acting Regional Administrator


Susan Studlien, Director
Office of Environmental Stewardship

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